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SUBJ: PRG ISSUE AT LOW CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 025997

DCM CALLED ON ANTOINE FATTAL, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE
MINISTRY FOREIGN AFFAIRS MORNING FEB 5 TO URGE GOL
INSTRUCT ITS DELEGATION VOTE UPHOLD CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN'S
RULING ON RULE 32 DURING DEBATE FEB 5. FATTAL, LITERALLY
ONLY RANKING OFFICER AT MINISTRY WITH FOREIGN MINISTER,
CHIEF OF POLITICAL, INTERNAL AND ARAB SECTIONS ALL AT THE
ARAB LEAGUE MEETING IN CAIRO. FATTAL ASSURED DCM THAT
GOL WOULD CONTINUE TO ABSTAIN ON ISSUE BUT IT WOULD BE
EXTREMELY DIFFICULT IN VIEW POSITION OTHER ARAB STATES
TO VOTE AGAINST SOVIET ACTION. HE, HOWEVER, AGREED TO
CALL HIS DELEGATION IN ORDER TO DETERMINE ON SPOT SITUATION
AS HE HAD HAD NO REPORT FROM GENEVA.
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